

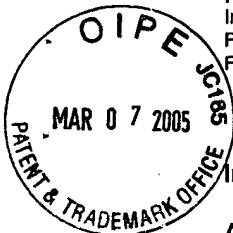
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**LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON  
(Request To Make Drawings Substitution)**

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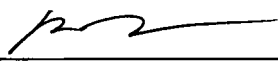
Subject to the approval of the Primary Examiner in the above-entitled patent application, please substitute the enclosed eight (8) sheets of drawings, containing Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8 for the previously submitted eight (8) sheets of informal drawings containing Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8. as originally filed.

**REMARKS**

Applicant(s) respectfully submit(s) that the requested drawing substitution is consistent with the corresponding material in the specification and does not add any new matter to the application.


Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this request, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned representative of the Applicants at the number shown below.

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